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MINING.
Stocks.
Boston, January 19, 1906
Algonquin.....16
Aronson.....16
Boston and Montana.....49 7/8
Butte & Boston.....17 1/2
Calumet and Hecla.....11 1/2
Copper Falls.....11 1/2
Frontier.....11 1/2
Keweenaw.....11 1/2
Mason.....11 1/2
National.....11 1/2
Ontonagon.....11 1/2
Quincy.....11 1/2
Quincy script.....11 1/2
Sault Ste. Marie.....11 1/2
Old Dominion.....11 1/2
Tamarack.....11 1/2
Tamarack script.....11 1/2
Tamarack Junior.....11 1/2
Tremont.....11 1/2
Wolverine.....11 1/2

MARQUETTE COUNTY.
MARQUETTE.
The first annual meeting of the Marquette county farmers' institute which terminated on Thursday was a complete success, some 2,300 people attending the two days' session.
Aside and orange races are the fashion at the skating rink.
The fourth of the series of Masonic parties was given in the Masonic Hall on Thursday evening. Lieut. Thielman, of the Calumet Light Guard, was among the guests.

Mr. Sam Waters has been elected business manager of the Marquette City band.
SERAGNEE.
Mr. Will Chellis, who has been suffering with some eye disease, has gone to Chicago to have them treated.

Owing to the number of outside men brought here by the new railway where they thought they could procure work which so far they have not succeeded in doing, the goal is pretty well filled every night—the men seeking lodging there.

It is proposed to establish an agency here for the **Yakob Bros.** of Edward, Minn., the time less than a month of the getting very scarce in this neighborhood and one of the large contractors said that within the next two months there will be very little of it left standing.

The Frank Tucker company are playing here to very good houses.

INSERMING.
At the Lake Angeline mine yesterday Mr. William Coad had three of his fingers badly squeezed by a door falling on his hand.

Mr. J. Parke Channing, the well-known mining engineer, is preparing for the Engineering and Mining Journal an article on the diamond drill, which will be illustrated, showing the drill bit in its different forms.

Bids are being received for building a dry to take the place of the one lately destroyed by fire at the Cleveland-Cliffs.

Hoisting has been resumed at the Salisbury mine, the repairs to the shaft having been completed. They hoist about 200 tons of ore a day.

When the new high school building is opened it is expected that the number of children attending the different schools will be in the neighborhood of 2,400.

Never Touched Us.
The big advance in shoes has not affected us in the least. We have a large stock of ladies', mens', and boys' shoes, rubbers, gaiters, socks, felt boots and shoe packs at the old prices, and which we will sell cheaper than ever. See our own make shoe packs.

CITY SHOE STORE,
THOMAS GRIMBLE, Prop.

If suffering with piles, it will interest you to know that Dr. Witt's Little Early Balm will cure them. This medicine is a specific for all complaints of this character, and if instructions, (which are simple,) are carried out, a cure will result. We have tested this in numerous cases, and always with like results. It never fails.
EAGLE DRUG STORE.

The bread and cake of the Superior Bakery can be had at the following agencies: James Linn's, Mrs. Hoskins, Red Jacket; Martin Kuhn's, J. C. Lean's, Peter Glesin's, Calumet Village, and Weisbauer's, Gullbush, Lake Linden. A fresh supply is left at these agencies every day, and the prices are as low as the lowest.

Wife—Here's an account of a man who shot himself rather than suffer the pangs of indigestion. Husband—The fool! Why didn't he take Dr. Witt's Little Early Balm? I used to suffer as bad as he did before I commenced taking these little pills.
EAGLE DRUG STORE.

Ehrenborg & Co., proprietors of the Superior Bakery, desire to inform the public that they are making all kinds of breadstuffs and selling them at very low prices. Every Saturday fresh cream puffs, which are claimed to "beat 'em all," may be had.

ROARED LIKE A LION.

A COASTER CAPTAIN'S STORY OF A REMARKABLE WHALE.

It didn't "blow," but its Roar Was Something Awful—it Was Eighty Feet in Length and Had a Queer Looking Head. Tried to Swamp the Schooner.

"No," said Captain J. A. Crossman of South Portland, "we didn't encounter the sea serpent, but we had a strange experience with a whale, and I don't believe anybody ever had the like before. I've been at sea, man and boy, since I was 9 years old, and I never saw the like of the whale we encountered. I never saw a whale before that didn't blow, but the one we met didn't, but it gave a roar that was awful."

"It sounded like the lions in Central park, New York," said Miss Houston, who was one of the party that had the strange encounter.

"It certainly was more like the roar of a lion than anything else I can think of," said Captain Crossman.

The schooner Grace Webster, Captain Crossman, was on her way from New York to Portland with 414 tons of coal. Besides the captain and crew Mrs. Crossman, her daughter and Miss Houston were on board.

The schooner was about ten miles off Wood Island and making good headway under full sail, the mate, Merrill Crossman, at the wheel, when there was a sudden commotion ahead, and the great head shot up into the air and was on a level with the deck.

One of the crew first sighted the strange creature and called Captain Crossman, and in a moment all on board but the man at the wheel were looking at the strange sight. They saw before them an enormous head, one mass of great bunches, through which the wicked looking eyes of the creature gleamed. They expected the whale, if such, would "blow," but it did not then or after. Once a narrow thread of what looked like steam shot up, but not a drop of water was sent into the air. As they looked at the creature it roared savagely, and then drew close up to the side of the schooner, giving them ample time to observe the head, and all agree that it was very broad; that it tapered almost to a point, and that it was not very thick through the thickest part. The creature was about 75 to 80 feet in length and had a very broad tail, very different from that of an ordinary whale. In fact, at the time there were three or four whales in sight, and they had no difficulty in noting the points of difference between them and the strange creature.

The great creature went down head first and then made a series of attempts to strike the side of the schooner with its tail. It did not succeed and swam around them, roaring loudly, in evident anger. Then it went down and under the schooner.

Captain Crossman, who had watched for this movement, gave orders to be ready to lower the boat, fearing that the whale might come up under them and break them in two. It was very fortunate that they were not forced to lower their boat, as it proved later to be leaking and would not have carried half their number safely to land.

For more than an hour the whale, on C. A. membership on its head, with its secret, waving in the air most of the time. It seemed bent on hitting the schooner, and it took the best of good seamanship to prevent an encounter.

At last the whale seemed to get tired of what had been fun at first, and it headed for the westward.

Captain Crossman is of the opinion that this strange whale must have been mistaken for a sea serpent many times. Seen but a short distance off the head would look more like that of a great serpent than of a whale.

The creature, while making its long and repeated attempts to hit the schooner, continued its roaring when above water. It would scrape against the side of the schooner and then would draw off, seem to be calculating the distance, and then strike. The schooner was kept off at the right moment, and the creature missed the vessel every time. It was an odd experience, and for a time there was something closely resembling a panic, the women being badly frightened.

Miss Houston said that the sight of that great mass standing almost upright in midocean was something not to be forgotten. Captain Crossman is uncertain whether the whale is a natural fighter or whether it was frightened when it came up out of the water, and as a result of its confusion made the repeated attempts to sink the schooner. One of the crew hit it with a bolt, and many times Captain Crossman said he could have hit it with a board from the deck. He did not venture to do anything to further arouse its anger and let it go in peace.—Portland (Me.) Press.

The Finlanders'

Mutual Fire Insurance company of Houghton and Keweenaw counties, organized in 1890 according to the laws of the State of Michigan, will insure property of its members. Have paid fire losses over \$3,000 during its existence. The company paid back during the last year to sixty-two of its members of five years' standing 68 per cent of their premiums, amounting to \$3,502. Will pay back during this year on the same rate to thirty-six members of five years' standing \$1,447. On the first day of this year the company had 344 members, \$297,440 worth of property insured, and \$6,594.11 in treasury. For further particulars apply to the undersigned.

JOHN BLOMQUIST, President.
ALEX LEINONEN, Secretary.
Office, 443 Pine street, upstairs, Red Jacket.

The Estey Organ.

James G. Glanville is the sole agent for the Estey pianos or organs for Calumet and vicinity, and all parties wishing to purchase one of these celebrated instruments must get it through the above agency. Six months' lessons free to every purchaser of piano or organ. Apply at No. 516 Blue Jacket, or at Ed's dye works, opposite Kohlhaas' meat market, Front street.

De Witt's Little Early Balm for biliousness, indigestion, constipation.
EAGLE DRUG STORE.

Oates' clean and press suits for \$1.50.

CALUMET BUSINESS LOCALS.

Oates, auctioneer, want second hand goods.

All holiday goods at greatly reduced prices at Vertin Bros.

Ladders of all sizes for sale at Armstrong & Thielman's lumber yard.

Try National Light oil and you will use no other. For sale at Lyon's hardware.

WANTED—A girl to do general housework. Apply to Mrs. Wilcox, Scott street.

One Minute Cough Cure is a popular remedy for croup. Safe for children and adults.
EAGLE DRUG STORE.

Our lodge room can be rented for meetings on Saturday evenings.
SIVERT OLSON.

Low—On Saturday evening, December 21, between Pine street and Shen's delivery, a shawl. Finder please leave at News office and receive reward.

Piles of people have piles, but Dr. Witt's Witch Hazel Salve will cure them. When promptly applied it cures scalds and burns without the slightest pain.
EAGLE DRUG STORE.

FOUND—Last Tuesday night, between the post office and railroad crossing, a calf skin robe. By applying at the News office and paying for this ad, owner can have same.

The Best We Have.
Insist on getting a "La Emprise" 10-cent cigar. All first-class dealers sell them, try 'em, like 'em. Equal to imported.
PETER CARRY.

Boarders Wanted.
I can accommodate six boarders, price \$18 per month. House over Sam Mawrence's store, in the Jernian block, Front street.
PETER CARRY.

Wood for Sale.
Good dry family wood delivered for \$4 per cord. Orders to be left with Mr. George Hall, Wolverine, or at the News office. Short wood to suit the times.

The Rockford electric belt is meeting with the best of success. Call and examine it and get references. Office over Grand Union tea store Red Jacket, Mich.
RUSSELL & BURNS.

Statement of Condition.

ANNUAL STATEMENT for the year ending December 31, A. D. 1905, of the condition and affairs of the **Finlanders' Mutual Fire Insurance Company**, located at Calumet, organized under the laws of the State of Michigan, and doing business in the Counties of Houghton and Keweenaw, in said State:

MEMBERSHIP.
Number of members December 31, of previous year.....185
Number of members added during the present year.....161
Total.....346
Deduct number of members withdrawn during the year.....2
Number of members now belonging to Company.....344

ASSETS.
Amount of money, bonds, stocks, and other securities owned.....\$151,240.00
Total.....\$151,240.00
Deduct cash received during the year.....\$20,160.00
Net amount now at risk by company.....\$131,080.00

RESOURCES.
Cash on hand.....\$6,794.11
Total.....\$6,794.11

LIABILITIES.
None.

RECEIPTS.
Cash premiums received during the year.....\$4,516.50
Cash from membership, or policy fees.....322.00
Interest on deposits.....210.00
Total cash receipts.....\$5,048.50

Add cash balance at close of previous year.....\$6,009.24
Total receipts.....\$11,057.74

PAYMENTS.
Salaries and fees paid to officers.....\$446.02
All other disbursements.....443.22
Paid back to 62 members of 5 years' standing 68 per cent of their premiums.....3,502.00
Total payments.....\$4,391.24

Total expenses actually paid during the year.....\$4,391.24
STAYED BY MICHIGAN CO. OF Houghton and Keweenaw counties, organized under the laws of the State of Michigan, and doing business in the Counties of Houghton and Keweenaw, in said State, and they have read the foregoing statement, and know the contents thereof, and they have given reason to believe, and do believe, said statement to be true.

ALEX LEINONEN, Secretary.
Notary Public, Houghton Co., Mich.

McClure & Jacka,

Proprietors of

Livery, Feed and Sale Stable.

First-class rigs at reasonable prices. Horses for sale or exchange.

R. Bruce Mackenzie

D. D. S.,

DENTAL OFFICE.

Over Star Clothing Store.

OFFICE HOURS—9 to 12 a. m.; 1 to 5 p. m.; and 7 to 9 evenings.

Large Stock

—OF—

Oranges and Lemons

Just received and selling at

25c Per Doz.

A few more barrels of

Fancy Apples

Left at \$6. \$8.25, \$3.50 per barrel.

Holman & Williams.

CASH vs CREDIT!

How much can I save, is a question which every thoughtful man puts to himself. He figures his rent, coal, wood, butcher book, store book, and a few other books. By the time he is half through with his book accounts, he despairs of ever saving half the sum he expected. Why? Because he paid about 20 to 35 per cent more for the goods than he would if he bought from us for cash.

The following small price-list is an illustration of how we can save you over \$7 on every \$25 worth of goods bought.

Holiday Goods! Look Here!

Our counters and tables are full of holiday goods at prices lower than ever.

Overcoats—and Suits.

Prices on all our Overcoats and Suits are greatly reduced as they must be turned into cash season is over.

Capes and Jackets!

We still have a good assortment of Capes and Jackets to select from, which you can have at almost any price as they must be cleaned out.

MILLINERY!

Now is your time to buy your Hats and Bonnets and all millinery materials at greatly reduced prices, as all our millinery must be sold before the holidays are over as our milliner will wind up the season.

Special Sales!

On men's, boys', ladies and children's underwear. Come in and see the bargains we are offering.

	Our Price.	Credit Store Price.
Parlor Matches.....	\$0.15	\$0.25
Snelker's Tomato Soup.....	.25	.30
" Oxtail ".....	.35	.40
Roasted Chicken.....	.30	.40
Mince Meat.....	.10	.15
Cove Oysters.....	.18	.25
Anchovies.....	.12	.18
Chow Chow.....	.55	.65
Onions.....	.55	.65
Queen Olives.....	.15	.25
Heinz's Catsup.....	.22	.30
Snelker's ".....	.22	.30
Blue Label ".....	.22	.30
Horse Radish Plant.....	.10	.15
Lea & Perrin's Sauce.....	.25	.35
H. Wichter's Pepper Sauce.....	.10	.15
Burke's Salad Dressing.....	.25	.35
" Celery Salt.....	.10	.15
Leaf Sage, 1 lb.....	.06	.10
Ground Sage, 1 lb.....	.05	.10
Hops, 1 lb.....	.10	.20
Yeast Cakes, 6 packages for.....	.25	.35
Pickles, per quart.....	.10	.15
Coleman's Mustard.....	.48	.60
Dwight's Saleratus.....	.09	.15
Pure Cream Tartar.....	.35	.45
Royal Baking Powder.....	.40	.45
Snow Ball ".....	.20	.25
Epp's Cocoa.....	.25	.35
Condensed Milk.....	.18	.25
20 lbs. Soda Crackers.....	1.00	1.40
100 lbs. Middling.....	.90	1.15
Chicken Corn, per bushel.....	.58	.75
Best Creamery Butter.....	.25	.28
Armour's Butterine.....	.12	.15
Fancy Preserves.....	.20	.25
2 lbs. Jelly, in glasses.....	.10	.15
Saffron.....	.09	.15
Chocolate.....	.05	.10
Brick Cheese.....	.14	.20
5 lb. Fall Best Lard.....	.60	.75
Gold Dust Washing Powder.....	.20	.25
Kirkoline.....	.20	.25
Tar Soap.....	.05	.10
Cuticura Soap.....	.20	.25
Pear's ".....	.20	.25
Kingsford's Starch.....	.07	.10
Sapolio.....	.08	.10
Gunpowder Tea.....	.25	.35
English Breakfast.....	.32	.50
Soothing Syrup.....	.15	.25
St. Jacob's Oil.....	.35	.50
Wizard Oil.....	.35	.50
Tar Honey.....	.35	.50
Castoria.....	.25	.50
Hood's Sarsaparilla.....	.75	1.00
5-lb. Bag of Salt.....	.04	.05
Lemon Cling Peaches.....	.20	.25
White Cherries.....	.18	.25
Strawberries.....	.10	.15
Green Gage Plums.....	.18	.25
Bartlett Pears.....	.20	.25
Apricots.....	.18	.25
Imported Mushroom.....	.25	.40
Olive Oil.....	.15	.25
6 doz. Clothes Pins.....	.05	.15
Pettijohns, breakfast food.....	.12	.15
Rolls Oats.....	.09	.15
Mrs. Pott's Sad Irons.....	1.15	1.75
Root Ginger, per pound.....	.25	.50
Whole Pepper, ".....	.25	.40
Fancy Crackers, ".....	.08	.15
Total.....	\$17.96	\$25.01

Vertin Bros.

Corner of Oak and Sixth Streets.
Red Jacket.

Merchants' & Miners' Bank.

CALUMET, Mich.

CAPITAL.....\$100,000
Surplus and undivided profits.....50,000

FOUR PER CENT PER ANNUM PAID ON INTEREST DEPOSITS

OFFICERS:
CHARLES BRIGGS.....PRESIDENT
R. H. OSBORN.....VICE-PRESIDENT
H. S. COLTON.....CASHIER

First National Bank,

CALUMET, Mich.

Capital.....\$100,000
Surplus.....50,000

Four Per Cent Per Annum Paid on Savings Deposits. Deposits of \$1 and Upwards Received.

OFFICERS:
EDWARD RYAN.....PRESIDENT
JOHN S. DYMOCK.....VICE-PRESIDENT
WILLIAM B. ANDERSON.....CASHIER

First National Bank,

LAKE LINDEN, Mich.

Capital.....\$100,000

FOUR PER CENT INTEREST PAID ON SAVINGS DEPOSITS.

OFFICERS:
JOSEPH BOSCH.....PRESIDENT
CHARLES SMITH.....VICE-PRESIDENT
JOHN E. JONES.....CASHIER

First National Bank,

HANCOCK, Mich.

Capital.....\$200,000
Surplus and undivided profits.....68,000

Four Per Cent Per Annum Allowed on Interest Deposits.

OFFICERS:
WILLIAM HARRY.....PRESIDENT
PETER RUPPE.....VICE-PRESIDENT
WILLIAM CONDON.....CASHIER

Wanted:—Persons who are in need of help, or want employment, or have something they wish to sell or exchange, or want to rent or wish to rent houses to advertise in the Want Column of the Evening News. No better means can be had to fill your wants.

JUST A MOMENT!

ARE YOU INSURED?

If not, THE MUTUAL BENEFIT offers you Protection and Investment. It has paid more than \$1,000,000 to policyholders. Its assets are \$6,000,000. The New Policy is believed to be the most LIBERAL and ADVANTAGEOUS before the public.
W. J. HOLMAN, Agent.
Borgo Block.

Insurance.

F. A. Douglass,

Agency.

Fire, Marine, Life,

Accident, Plate Glass, Steam

Boiler Security.

25 Leading Companies

English and American.

\$100,000,000 OF CAPITAL.

W. H. Faucett,

Local Representative.

Room 1 Borgo Block.

MICHIGAN DYE WORKS.

We have improved our machinery this fall, and are now able to color 40 STANDARD COLORS. FRENCH DRY CLEANING, a new process, by which we clean fine Overcoats and Suits, as well as Ladies' Garments.

We also clean and scour garments, no matter how greasy and spotted. They are making them as good as new.

We have first-class Tailors and do all sorts of REPAIRING and ALTERING.

Our prices are the LOWEST that FIRST-CLASS work can be done for.

Shop opposite Edward Ryan's store, Red Jacket.